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STATE OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

FOREST PLANTATIONS.

Particulars of Forest Plantings in this State have been obtained from about twenty companies or persons as well as from the Conservator of Forests. These reveal that at 31st December, 1937, there were approximately 95,000 acres - being the net area of forests planted (viz- exclusive of fire breaks), representing a total of approximately 50,000,000 trees. Of this total area, 17,000 acres were private and 78,000 Government.

During the nine years 1929-1937, over 13,000 acres had been planted privately and over 50,000 acres by the Government, a total of nearly 64,000 acres or 38,500,000 trees, some of which have of course died in the meantime, and a few burnt out.

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